

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Chen et al. Art Unit : 1645
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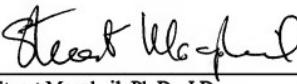
PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated July 10, 2006, be extended for one month to and including November 10, 2006.

The required fee is \$60. Please apply this and any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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